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A Romantic Portfolio



Timeless classics

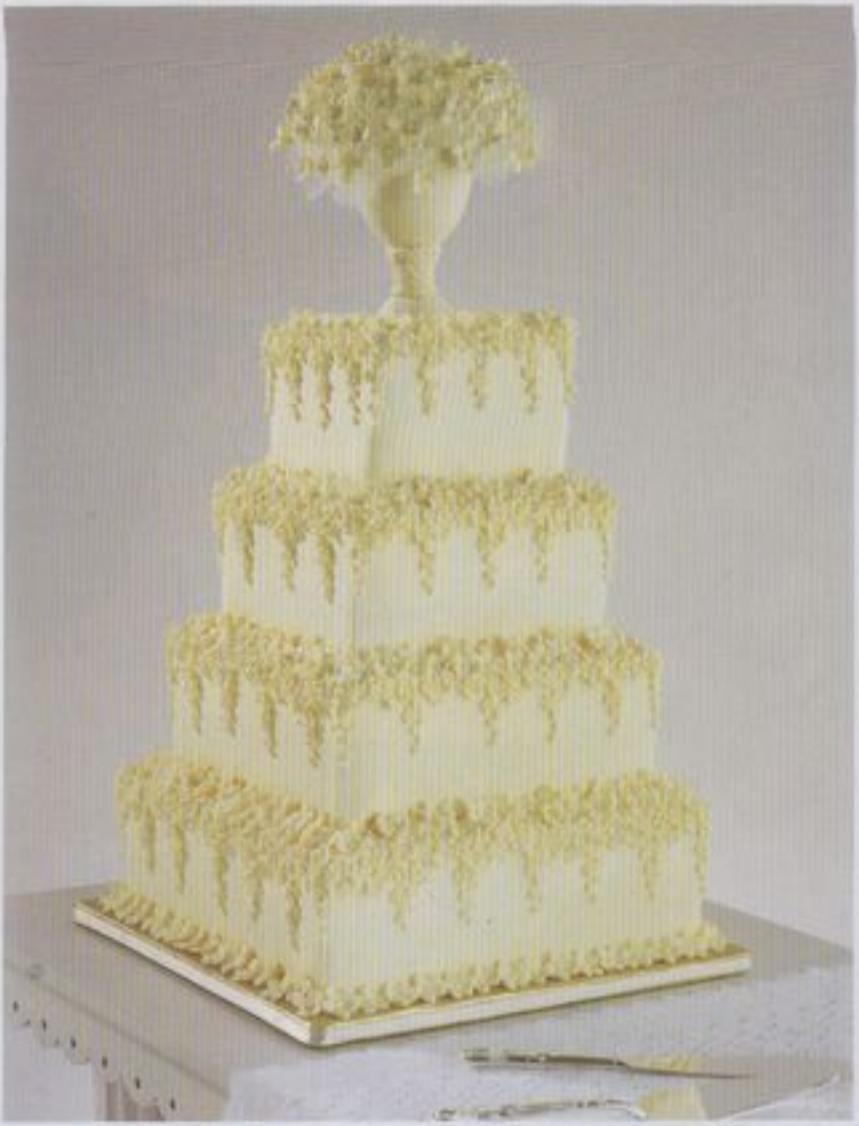
Let the wedding cake set the mood for your reception. Whether your cake is large or small, it can reflect any feeling. Make it lush and romantic, or tone it down with elegant shapes and simple decorations. It's your wedding, your choice, and anything is possible.

"Dramatic" best describes the feeling of our candlelight cake. The warm glow of any candle can beautifully accent the entire tablescape—from the sparkling fountain to the ornament and flowers surrounding the cake. It's a great example of how important presentation can be. Also, remember that candlelight is not just for evening receptions. Properly displayed, candles can work their magic anytime.

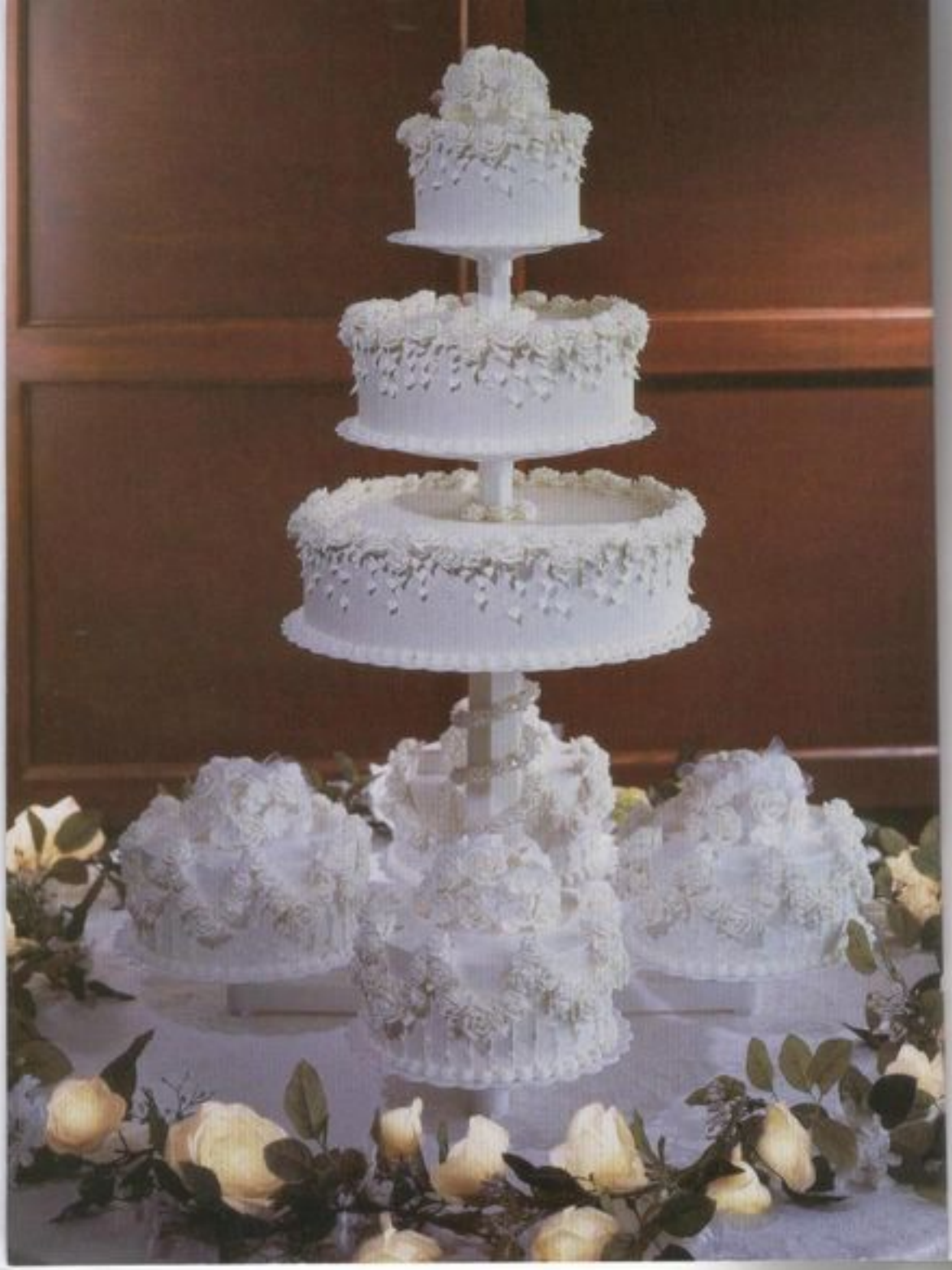








cascades *of icing flowers or real blossoms bring the appeal of motion to tiered wedding cakes. The cake at left uses fresh rose bouquets at the top and placed asymmetrically on the sides to move the eye to the lush floral bed and fountain below. Above, individual streams of drop flowers trickle down the sides to create a rich, overflowing look.*





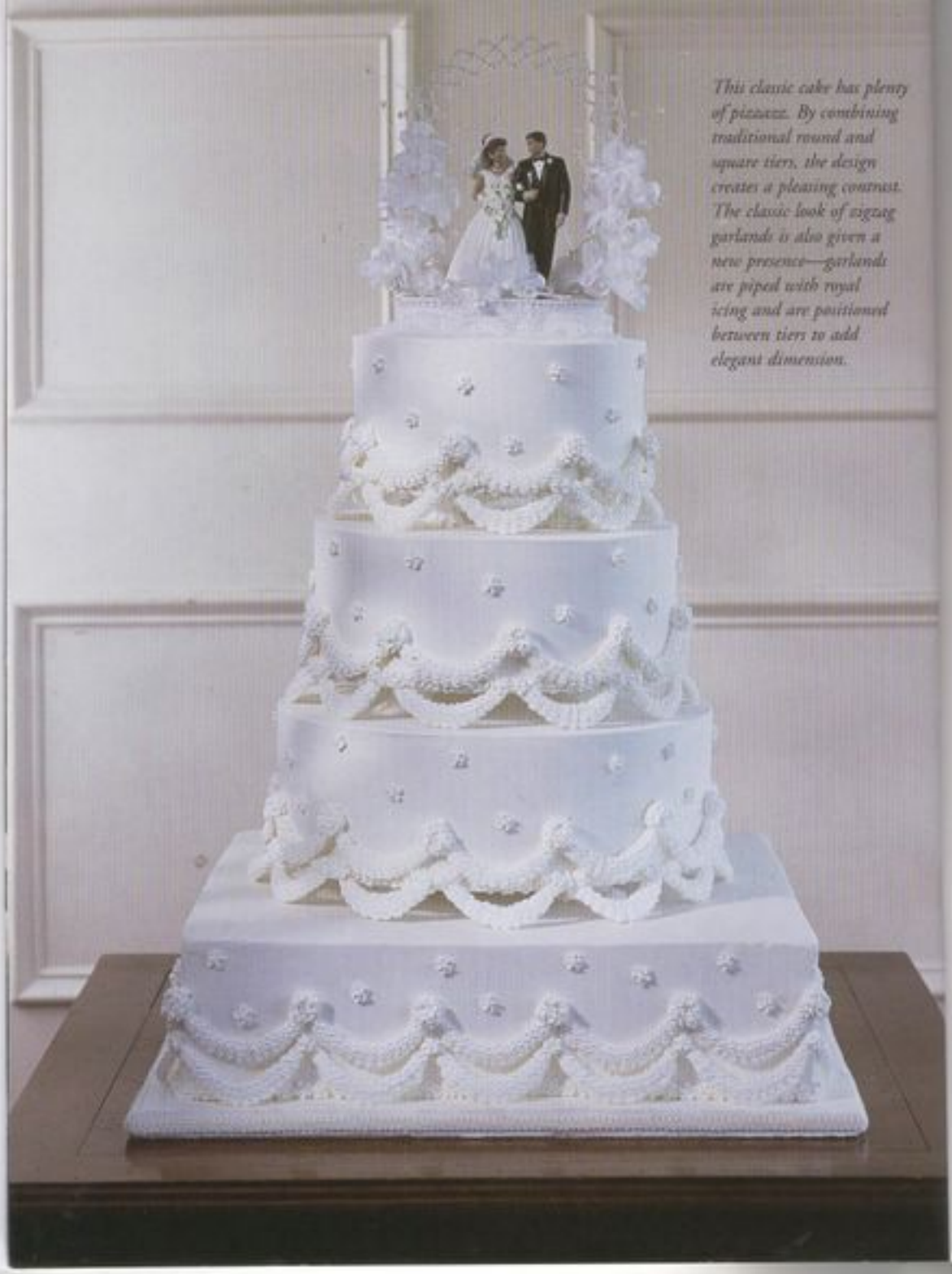
Your wedding is the party of your life, the perfect opportunity to serve the most sumptuous cake you can. A satellite design can provide the lavish look you're seeking, especially when presented in the classic Lady Windermere style, with smaller base cakes surrounding three traditional tiers. The opulent feeling flows from the lush coordinating cakes. The arrangement of icing flowers is as beautifully balanced as the cakes—subdued streams of roses and vines on the large center tiers are set off by bursting bouquets of roses, wild roses and tulle on satellite cake tops.

Think about ways to decorate tables that will complement your cake. We've added dramatic illumination around the cake with our lighted bridal garland. Use a Wilton figurine as a centerpiece, to decorate a champagne station or at another reception table.









This classic cake has plenty of pizzazz. By combining traditional round and square tiers, the design creates a pleasing contrast. The classic look of zigzag garlands is also given a new presence—garlands are piped with royal icing and are positioned between tiers to add elegant dimension.



Anniversaries are for remembering and for looking forward. This cake does both, with stacked tiers to recall a classic wedding cake shape and a flair for detail that suggests your relationship will be forever romantic. Exciting touches include fondant roses and bows, the beautiful winding texture of cornelli lace and a fun, upturned anniversary number.



texture *is all-important on a pure white wedding cake. Here, the delicate furls of handmade roses and tiny raised dots against smooth white fondant are so tempting your guests may want to reach out and touch them.*



Like an impressionist painting, this cake portrays nature in fresh and unexpected ways. Fantasy flowers, which combine apple blossoms with carnation petals made of gum paste and fondant, sprout from the surface to create a stunning texture. The flowers' stems and leaves are actually painted on the cake surface with icing in a technique called brush embroidery. Set against this fanciful painted greenery, the embellished flowers stand out even more. Completing the fantasy are two more natural elements—a sparkling fountain below and romantic lovebirds above.




Ovals



squares *prove to be as gifted in sophisticated settings as more gracefully-curved shapes. The lines of this package design are softened by the scalloped and scrolled ribbons and a fluffy top bow of rolled fondant.*

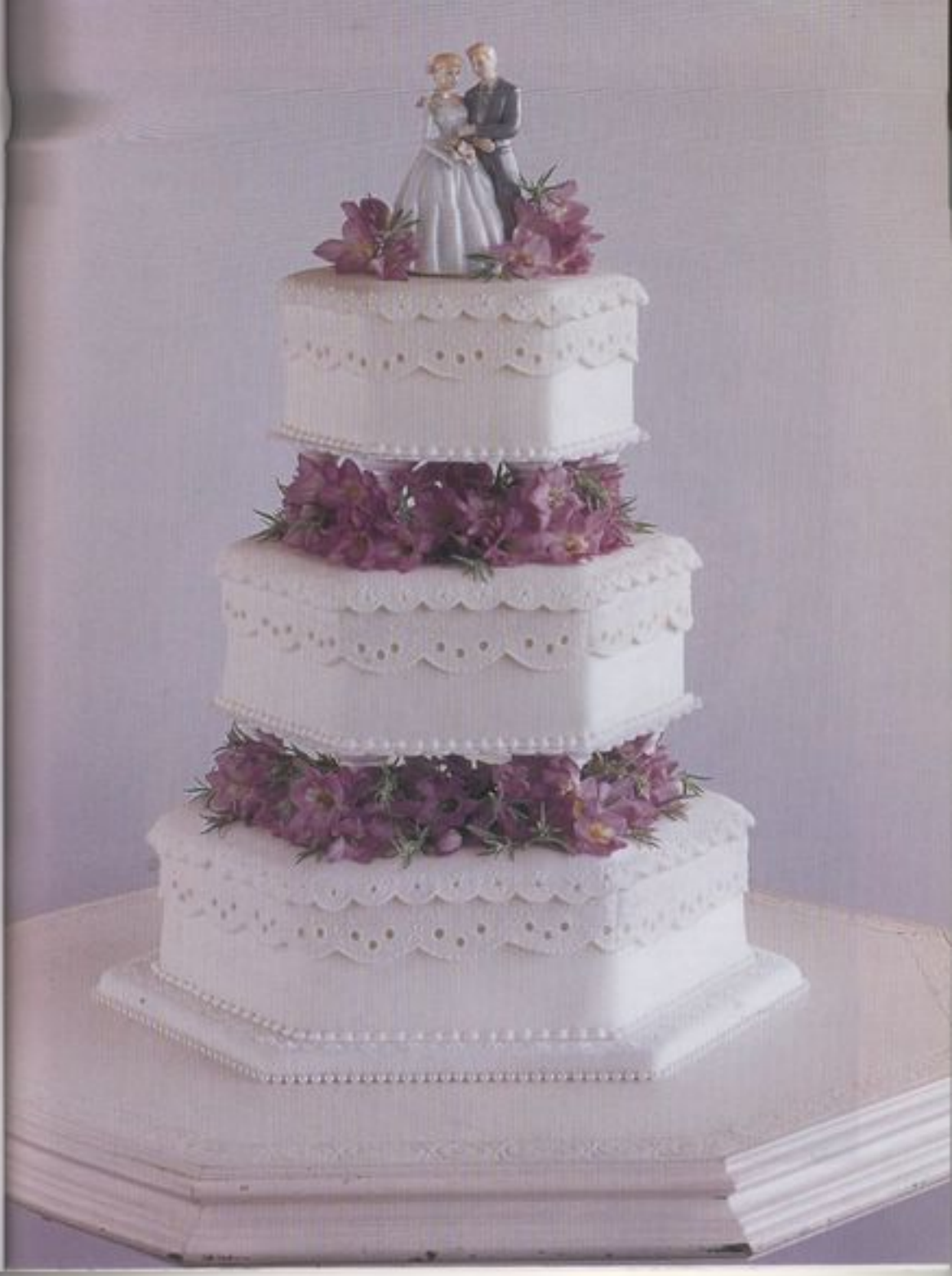
At left, gum paste rose petals share the beautiful oval shape of the cakes. The lush blanket of petals is a dramatic way to add the classic beauty of roses to wedding tiers.







Hexagons offer a breathtaking view from every angle. The look succeeds on all fronts, combining the sharp, direct lines of the square cake with the appealing sweep of a round cake. But your guests won't be talking about hexagons. More likely, they'll be completely charmed by the eyelet lace fondant overlays which cover each tier. It's the kind of cake that demands a closer look. Focus in on the delicate dotted flowers and scrollwork at play between the eyelet holes. Thanks to the smooth finish of rolled fondant, every detail stands out with strength. All of the decorating is done with buttercream or royal icing after the fondant panels are cut and positioned on the cake. Small bloom fresh flowers and a sweetly posed ornament complete the enchanting scene.







hearts

possess power like no other shape—they have always stood for eternal love. Here, hearts take on a rich marbled look with piped scroll designs and fleurs de lis, and the shape is edged with a ring of roses.

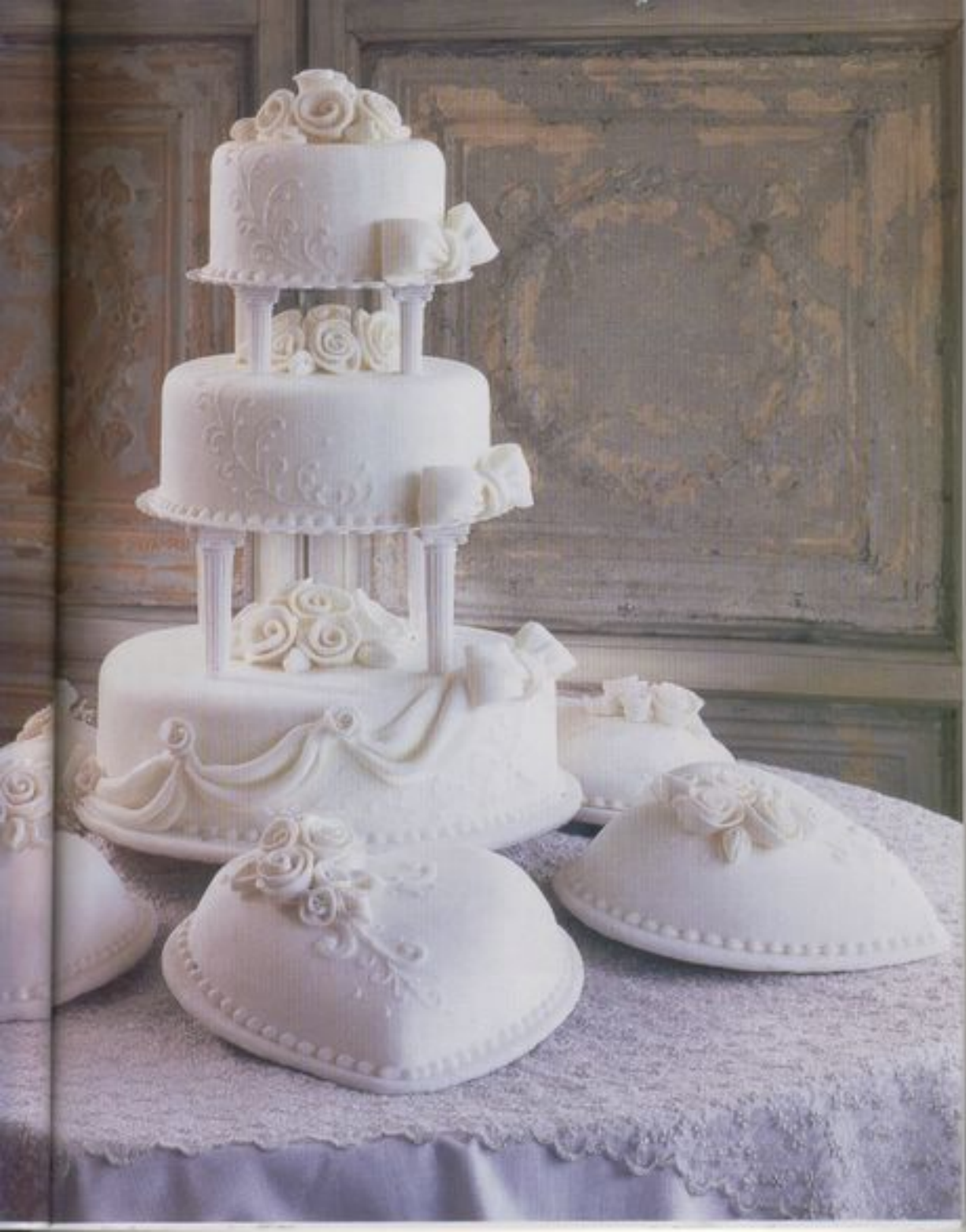
For the petal cake at left, we've emphasized the soft curves of each section with pearl bead garlands and added wide-open lilies atop the tiers.

Romantic fantasy

This is the day when going over the top feels exactly right. Everything has come together. You've found your true love. You're sharing the moment with those closest to your heart. The setting couldn't be more perfect. Why not have a cake that's bigger than life? Indulge in a design that's overflowing with flowers and richly textured with elegantly piped designs.

The cake at right achieves the fantasy. The center round tiers are adorned with hand-rolled ribbon roses, luxuriant fondant swags and bows. Surrounding these cakes are five puffed hearts, each accented by a rose corsage.



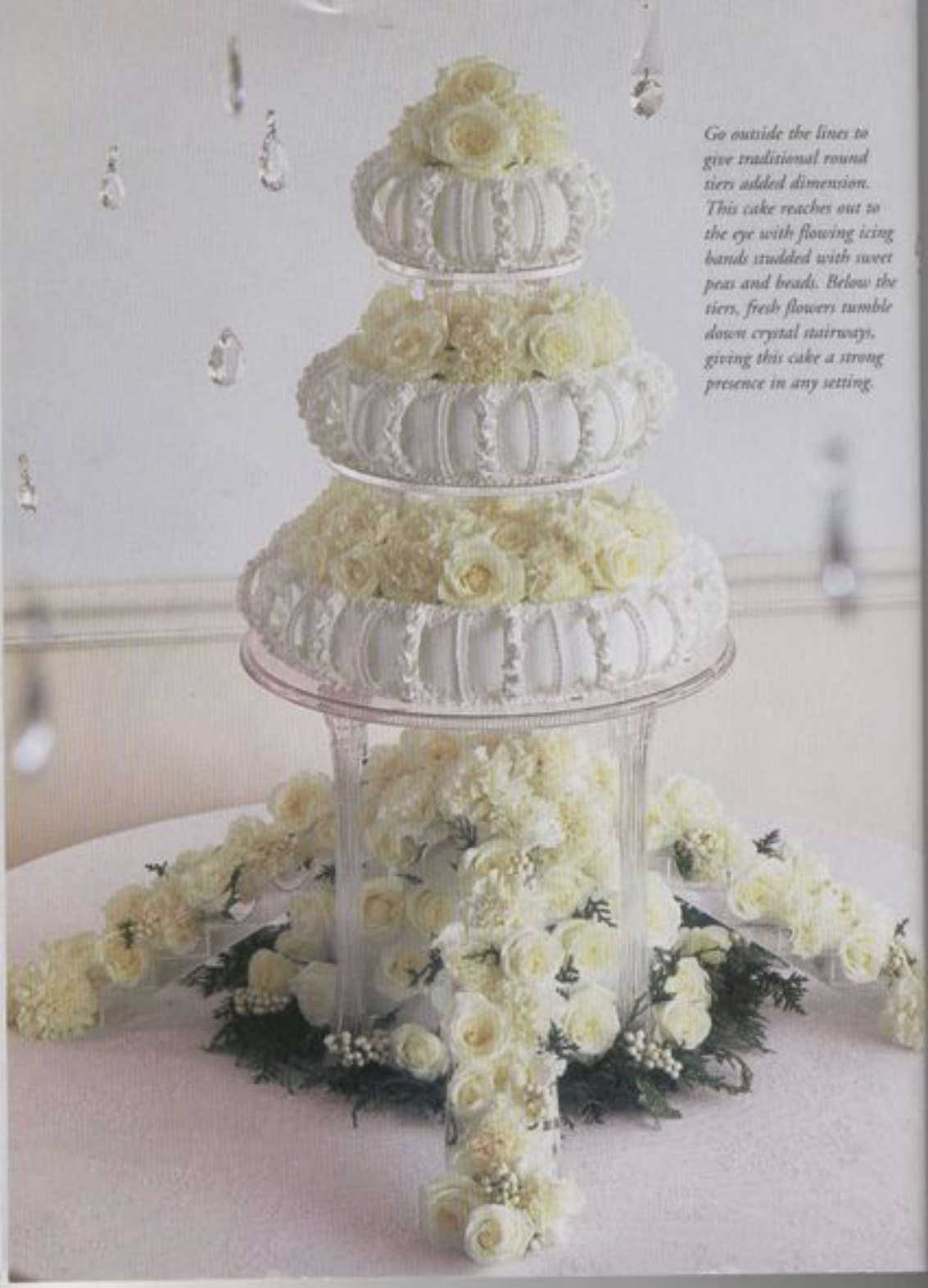




You can see how realistic these gum paste flowers look—something to consider when thinking about fresh flowers for your cake. While there will always be a place for fresh flowers, with gum paste, fondant or royal icing flowers, your favorites are always in season and will look perfect even on the hottest days.



Like the sweeping train on a bridal gown, this high-rising cake trails a carpet of hand-made floral sprays. The lush bouquets are assembled using gum paste orchids and stephanotis with buds and ivy leaves which have been quietly tinted with brushstrokes of pastel chalk.



Go outside the lines to give traditional round tiers added dimension. This cake reaches out to the eye with flowing icing bands studded with sweet peas and beads. Below the tiers, fresh flowers tumble down crystal stairways, giving this cake a strong presence in any setting.







The old world style of cake decorating is making a strong comeback. It's a rich, ornate look featuring heavily overpiped decorations and often surprising arrangements of tiers. This cake is a model of old world design, with hundreds of drop flowers planted over molded fondant hearts and vases. A beautifully-carved separator ring complements the richly piped tiers, while creating a unique recessed silhouette. By choosing an old world cake design, a new generation of couples is making an inspiring connection to the past, a statement of love that transcends time.







At left, our exquisite filigree gazebo sets the scene. It transforms this simple construction into a dream garden setting. The cakes themselves are simply decorated with tiny sprays of cut fondant and fresh flowers. Once again, a unique color choice is triumphant—the soft green cakes really work well with the fresh violets. And the texture of the gazebo, with its swirling laser-cut filigree pattern, elegantly frames the garden portrait. We've chosen the ornament for its naturally-posed design. Placed under the cakes, the romantic couple becomes an integral part of the garden theme.

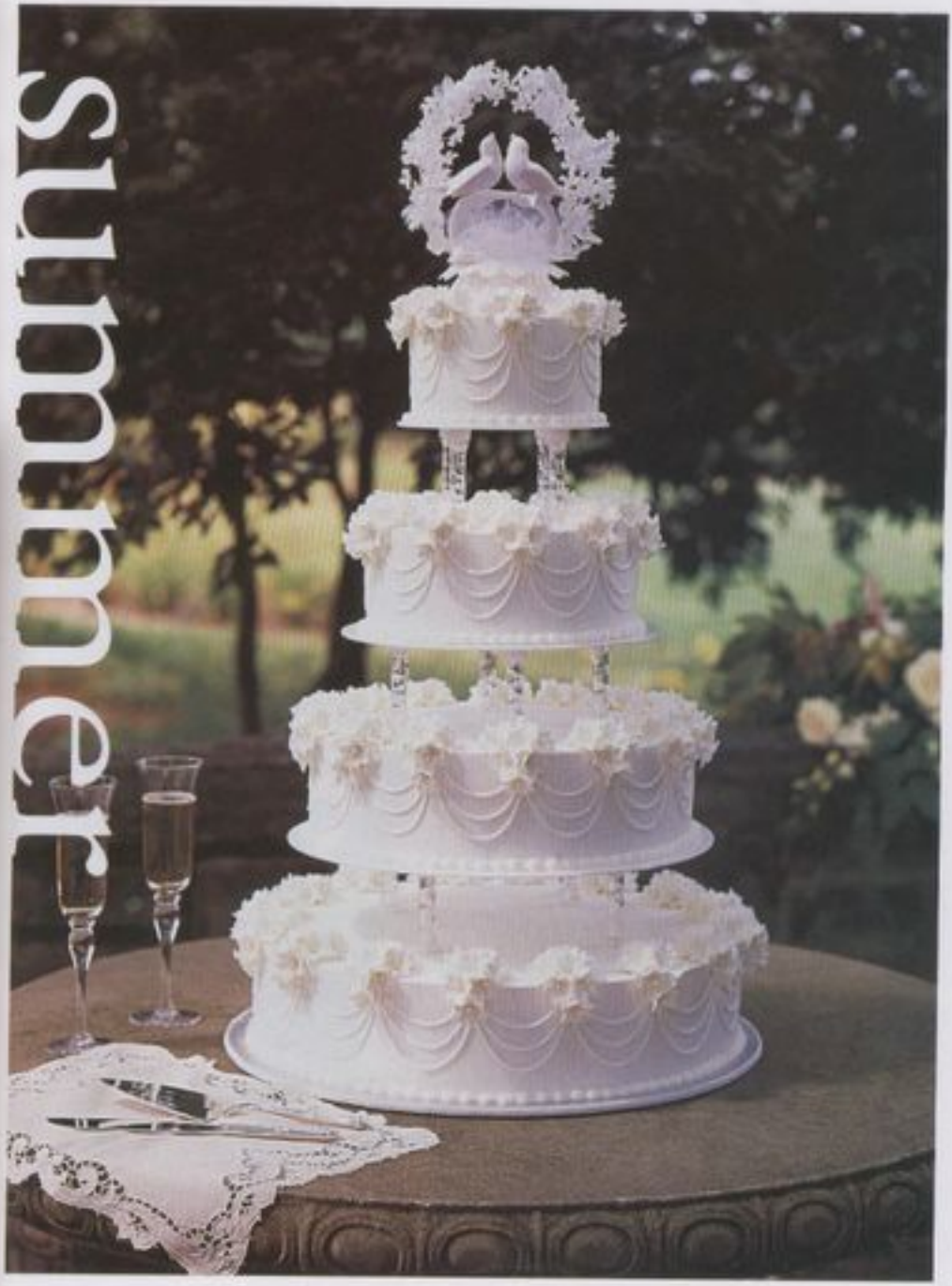
The cake at right is not your traditional basketweave. Individual bands of hard-drying royal icing are piped in advance, then pressed into the sides of each cake. The result—stronger texture, for a truer flower basket appearance.

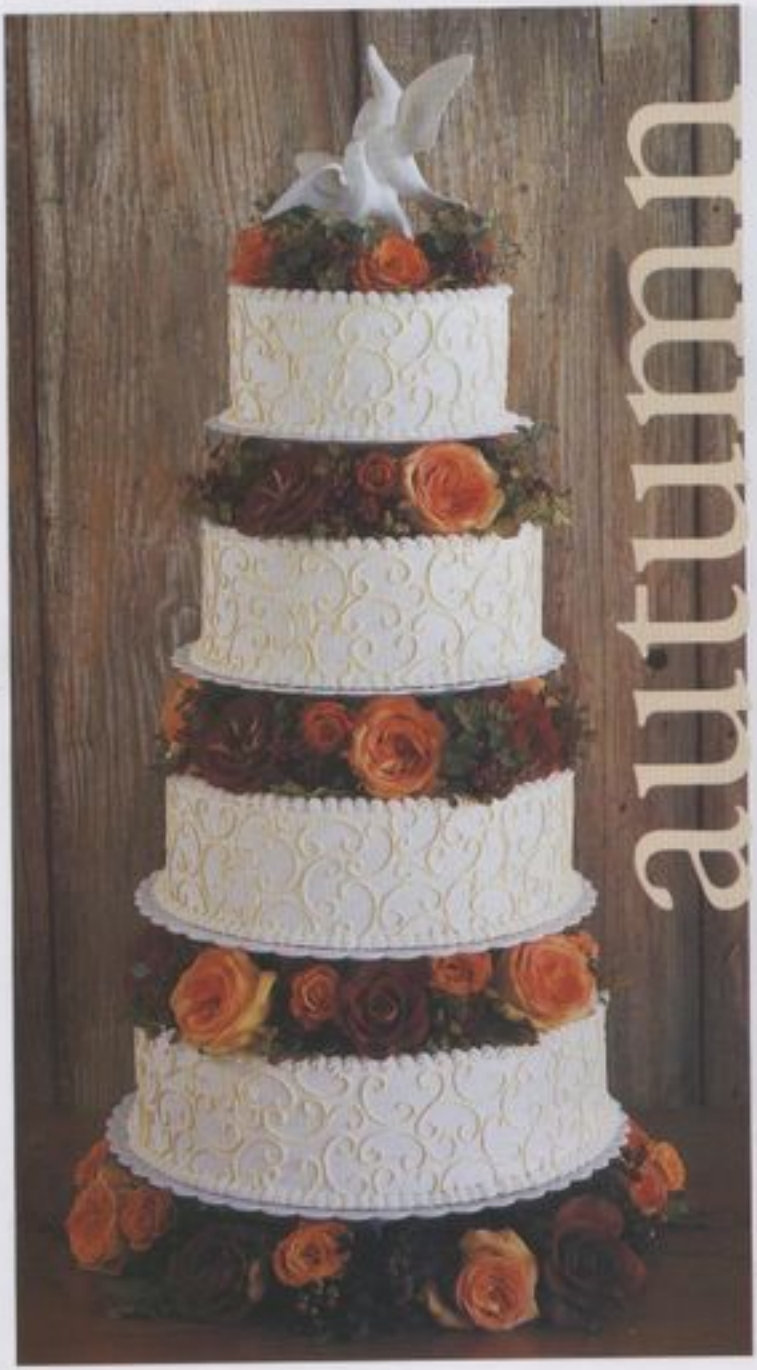

spring



Two contrasting ways to dress cakes for outdoor receptions: The cake above is as carefree as a summer breeze, with its sunny golden yellow icing, loosely-piped ruffles and peak-season fresh flowers. Our scrolled wrought iron cake stand pulls the garden scene together. At right, the majestic tiers show that a formal cake works beautifully in the great outdoors. Use accents like flowers and lovebirds which complement the natural setting.

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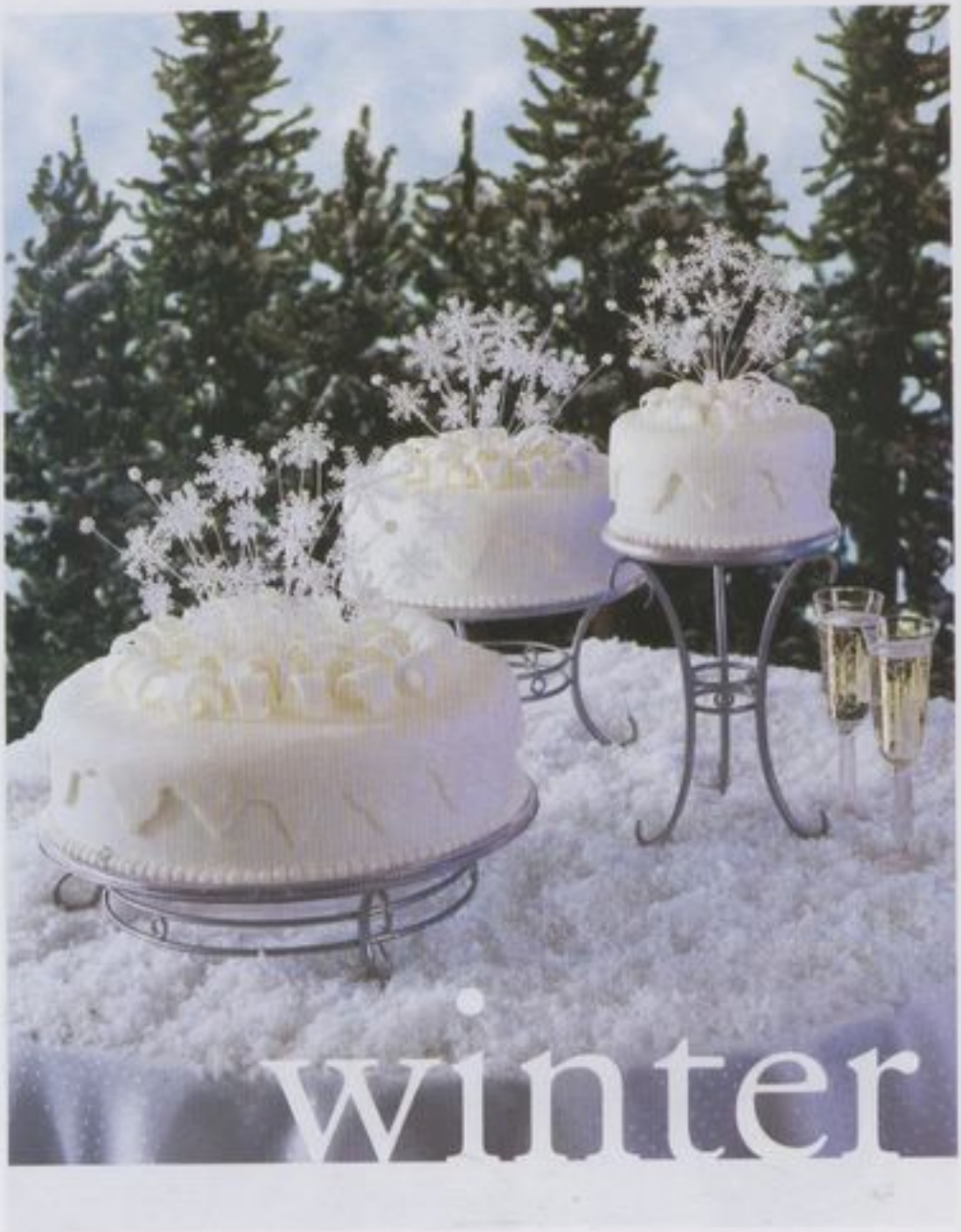
The flowers of fall are truly special. When everything in nature is shutting down for the cooler weather, up come these rust and gold blossoms to cheer us. If you're getting married in the autumn, it makes perfect sense to use all the robust colors available on your cake. Ivory piped designs show the flowers off in the richest way.

If you want to create impact for your guests, this grand scale design can work well for you. The Tall Tier Stand not only creates a trim, towering shape, but is the ideal perch for the flowers, which conceal the center column.

Harvest time brings a bounty of fresh fruits, glistening with Cake Sparkles™ to represent the first frost. Choosing a cake topped with fruit opens up luscious serving options—offering sugared fruit to accompany the slices, or filling the layers with preserves that will give guests a welcome taste of the season.





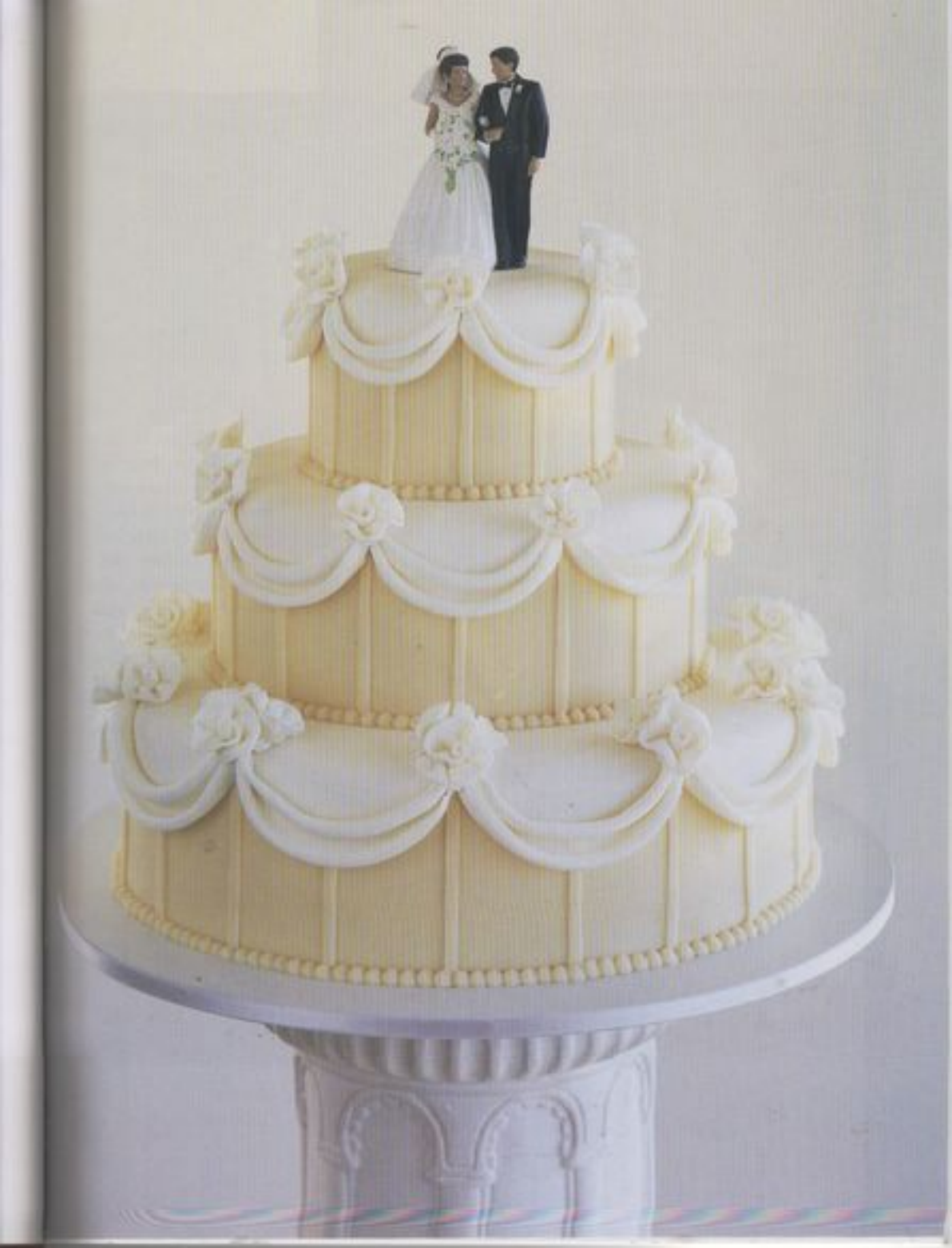

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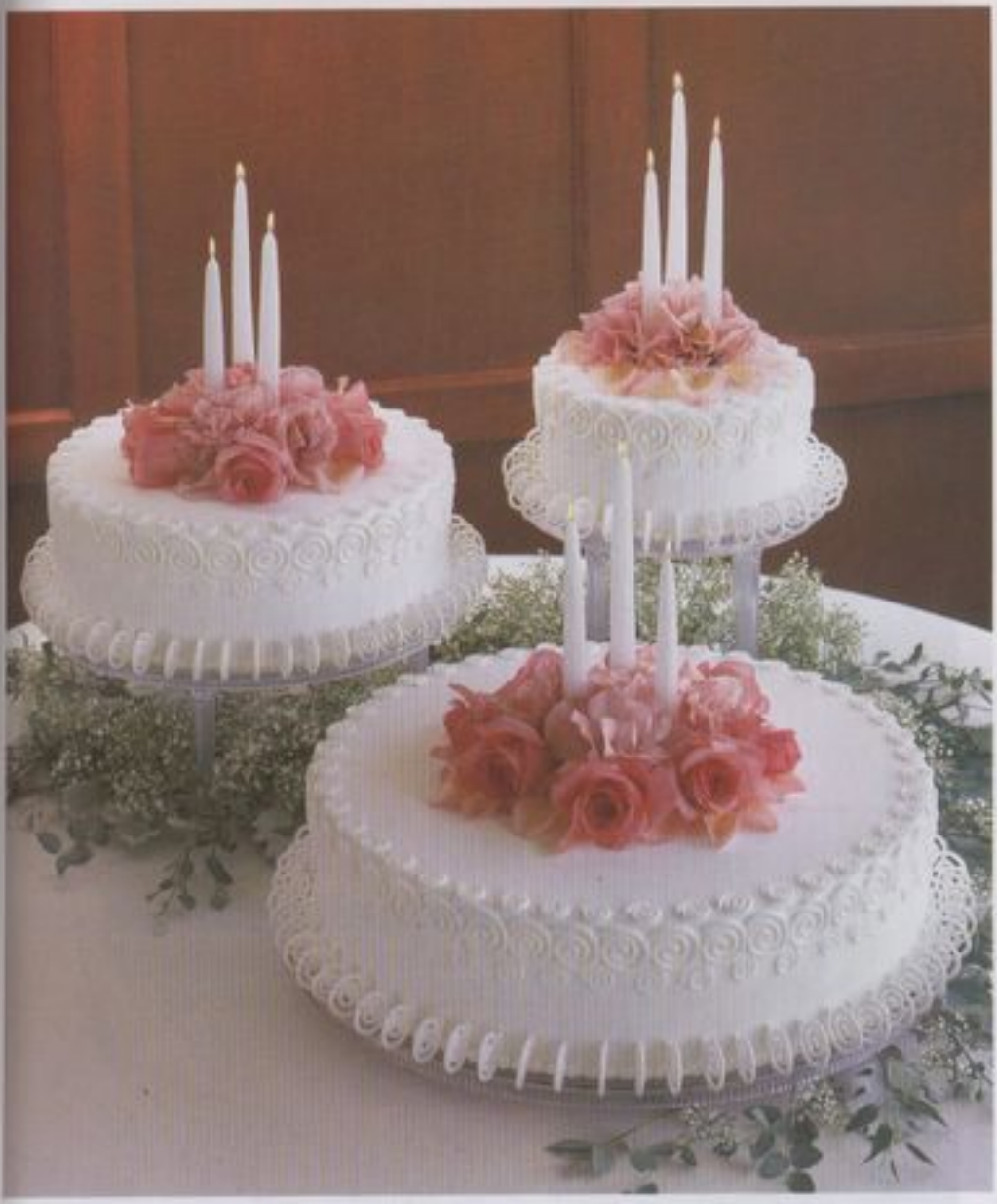


At your wintertime wedding, snowflakes will dance and the world will be dressed in white. This is a season of joy, reflected in every inch of your cake. Even the cake stand is cool and dazzling, with exquisitely curved legs and a beautiful 3-step presentation. An overlay of pure white fondant captures the smooth, dreamy shapes of snowdrifts, which burst forth in a blizzard of twinkling snowflakes on top. Each snowflake is handpiped in royal icing and sprinkled with Cake Sparkles™ to create a glistening magic as memorable as the year's first snowfall.











Something new, something blue. Oval tiers in aristocratic blue lean to the classic side when shown with our beautifully carved oval separator rings. At right, rich brocade-look overlays trimmed with fringed medallions and fondant pearls have the sumptuous feel of a royal wedding.











Capture all the energy and excitement of your wedding day with a cake that really moves. Change the architecture of basic round tiers by adding bold accents. Opposite, fondant panels fan out in dynamic zigzag fashion. You might never guess these are round cakes. If you're looking to throw some curves at your wedding, the loop cake above is for you. This cake just bursts with electricity. It's a frenzy of hundreds of delicate royal icing loops on the bottom tier with bolder loops forming the festive top bow. Wild!



chocolate





On the one day you can have your heart's desire, why wouldn't you want a chocolate cake? There is no flavor more indulgent. For many couples, a chocolate groom's cake is the ideal way to give guests a choice of flavors—it's also a fun contrast to a romantic main cake. But since most of us can't get enough chocolate, consider these designs as your main cake. Elegant piped chocolate plaques and designs make the perfect decorations. Opposite, each tier of our decadent Orange Chocolate Cheesecake is topped by a fan of scrolled chocolate triangles. Above, a chocolate bride and groom monogram crowns oval cakes framed by chocolate leaves and swirls.

Special favors

Giving guests a favor on the wedding day has been a long-standing custom, dating back to the Renaissance. Then, it was thought lucky for guests to tear pieces of the bride's wedding dress for a memento. During this time, brides began tacking flowers and bows to their gowns, to give guests something to take, without leaving themselves in tatters! Thankfully, Wilton has better ideas for your wedding favors—all distinctive, and certain to please your guests.

Jordan Almonds are rich in tradition. Evoking the bitter and sweet sides of marriage, these sweet treats are timeless as favors. Jordan Almonds have been around at weddings for years, and may hardly seem trendy. What's new is the way to present them to your guests. Try something very refined—this dainty Silver Favor Basket is filled with pure white Jordan Almonds. The handle is adorned with a Favor Band.





Some couples embellish their place cards to transform them into memorable favors. Here, we have tied a Silver Double Heart Place Card onto a Satin Heart Pillow. Positioned on a folded napkin, it looks quite pretty. In addition to your guests' names, try adding quotes, favorite poetry lines or a personal thank-you to bring a special meaning to this wedding favor.

A shining silver compote with our Devotion figurine in the center becomes the nest for White and Lavender Drawstring Sachets filled with Jordan Almonds. Always package the almonds for your guests in odd numbers, as odd numbers cannot be divided and tradition considers this a good omen! This beautiful presentation—Lovebirds, compote and Sachets—could be a centerpiece on the reception table or buffet, or placed alongside the cake as a complement.



Among the best favors are those that double as decorations for the reception. Jordan Almonds in a White Drawstring Sachet, accented with a 6 Petal Favor Band and a White Pearl Spray, are set atop a Silver Favor Tray and embellish any traditional table setting.





More than a favor, small tokens for guests can do double duty when inspired by a single wedding motif. If the bride loves bells, that can become the theme for everything from cake decorations to favors, distinctive place cards and reception decorations. Here, for the place setting, we have used Filigree Bells, with a floral accent, tied onto a dinner napkin. Inscribe your guest's name on a Silver Double Heart Place Card.

Although favors are influenced by tradition, they certainly are not bound to it. Move away from the usual and create favors reflective of your personality. These Silver Chair Place Card Holders are shining examples, and can be taken home by your guests and used to display favorite photos.





A truly distinctive way to display Celebration Bells is to hang, instead of place, inviting your guests to ring for that special kiss as soon as they are seated! Attach a single floral bloom to the top of the silver cord for a charming presentation.



The dessert table becomes a focal point of decoration with the Kolor-Flo Fountain as the centerpiece. Surround the fountain with the Lighted Bridal Garland, then arrange plates of individualized sweets, matched to the occasion. Petits fours—complementing the bridal colors, sugar-dusted cookies and candy-swan topped cupcakes are fine choices to harmonize with the grand finale of desserts—the glorious wedding cake.

Fill Favor Boxes with White and Assorted Jordan Almonds or Pillow Mints. These pre-made acetate boxes with pretty bows attached look elegant right from the start. Arrange favors on a central table near the entrance to your reception for guests to take as they arrive. Flower girls can also pass out favors to guests at the start of the reception. Clustered on a tray or table near the exit, favors can also bid a fond farewell to guests as they leave for home.



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Yours & Forever
Musical Ornament
Plays "The Wedding March".
Height: 7½ in. Base: 4½ in. diameter.
Resin. 215-310



A Day To Remember
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Revolving ornament plays "Waltz of the Flowers". Height: 8 in. Base: 4½ in. diameter.
215-410



Threshold of Happiness
Height: 6 in. Base: 6 in. diameter. Resin.
118-608



From This Day Forward
(Non-musical)
Height: 7 in. Base: 4½ in. diameter. Resin.
20-417



Our First Dance
Height: 9¼ in. Base: 4½ x 6 in. oval.
118-650



Pearl Essence
Height: 8¼ in. Base: 6 in. diameter. Resin.
118-607



Allure
Height: 11 in. Base: 5 in. diameter.
Ivory Accents.
101-1783



Forevermore
Height: 10½ in. Base: 4½ in. diameter.
110-860
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Garden Delight
Height: 10 in. Base: 4½ in. diameter.
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Height: 10½ in. Base: 4½ x 6 in. oval.
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Expression Of Love
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Height: 7⅞ in. Base: 4½ in. diameter.
White Couple 101-931



Sweetness
Height 7⅞ in. Base: 4½ in. diameter.
Brown-haired Bride 101-156
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Promise
Porcelain couple. Height: 9⅛ in.
Base: 4½ in. diameter.
117-315



Reflections
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117-711



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117-621



Spring Song
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Masterpiece
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Ivory 103-425
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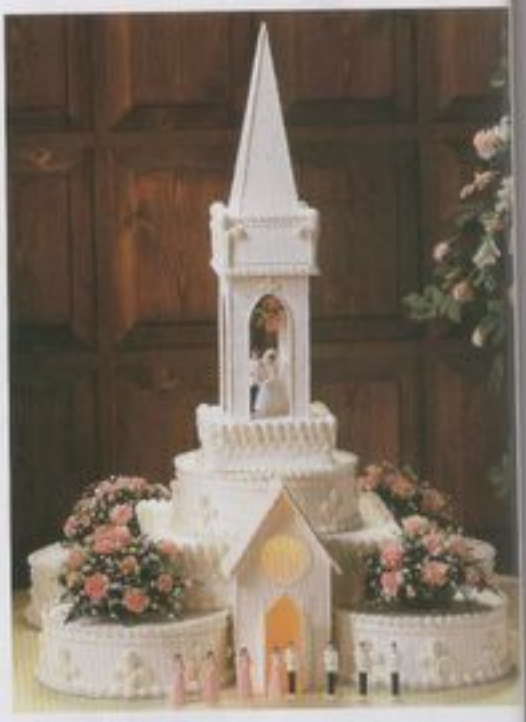
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Filigree Gazebo Kit
Brings the beauty of a garden wedding to any tiered cake. Beautifully intricate arch and trellis pieces wrap around Wilton Arched Pillars (not included, sold on p. 69) and transform tiered cakes into garden delights! The Filigree Gazebo coordinates with any cake design you choose—from traditional to contemporary—to create the wedding cake of your dreams. Just insert tabs into slots to link pieces together. Includes booklet with gazebo assembly and decorating instructions for 3 cake designs. 2104-2942



Cathedral Cake Kit
Includes: 5 easy-to-assemble white church pieces, 4 white plastic cake supports, a church window that can be illuminated from within. Opening in tower is 8½ in. high x 2½ in. wide. 2104-2940

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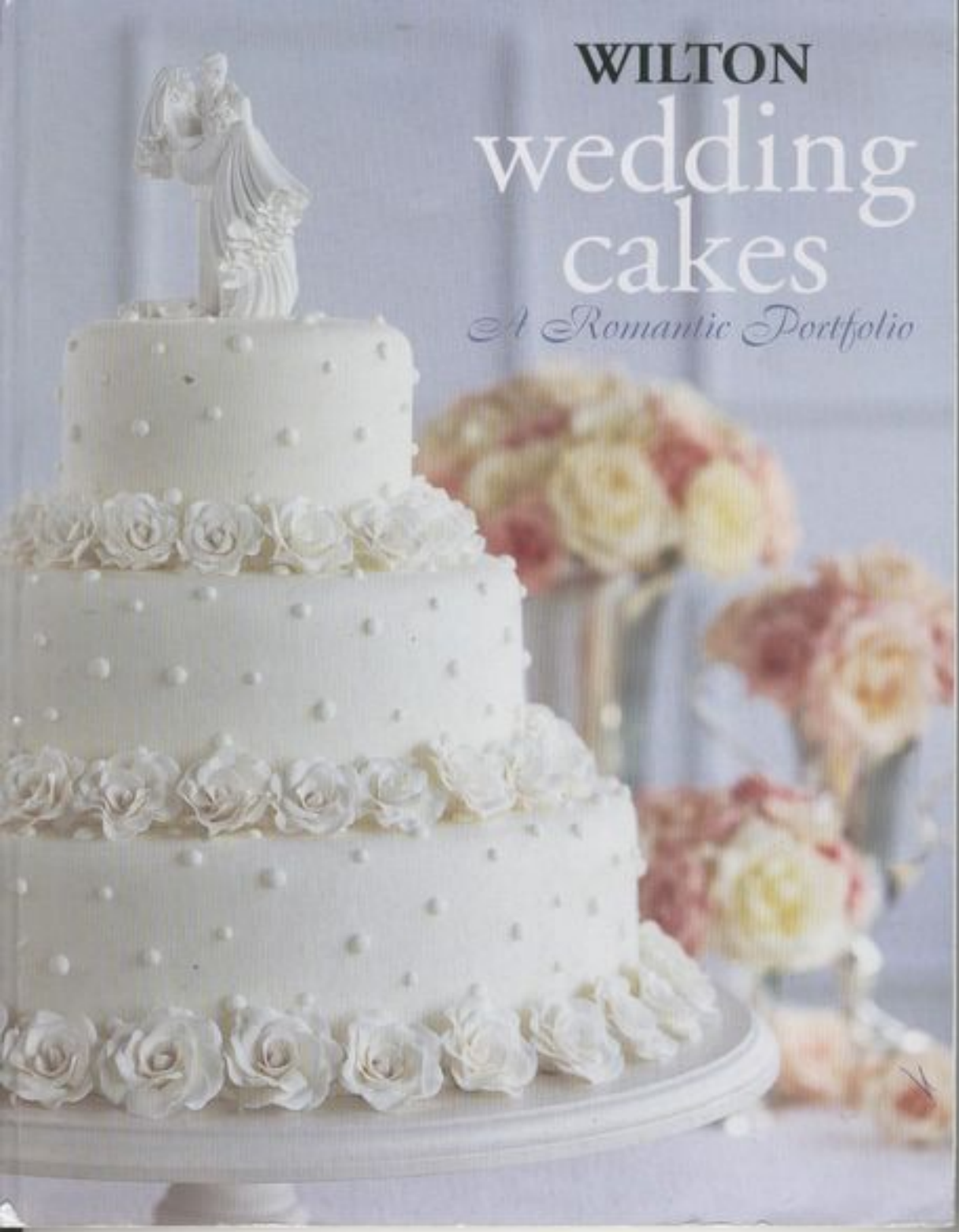
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